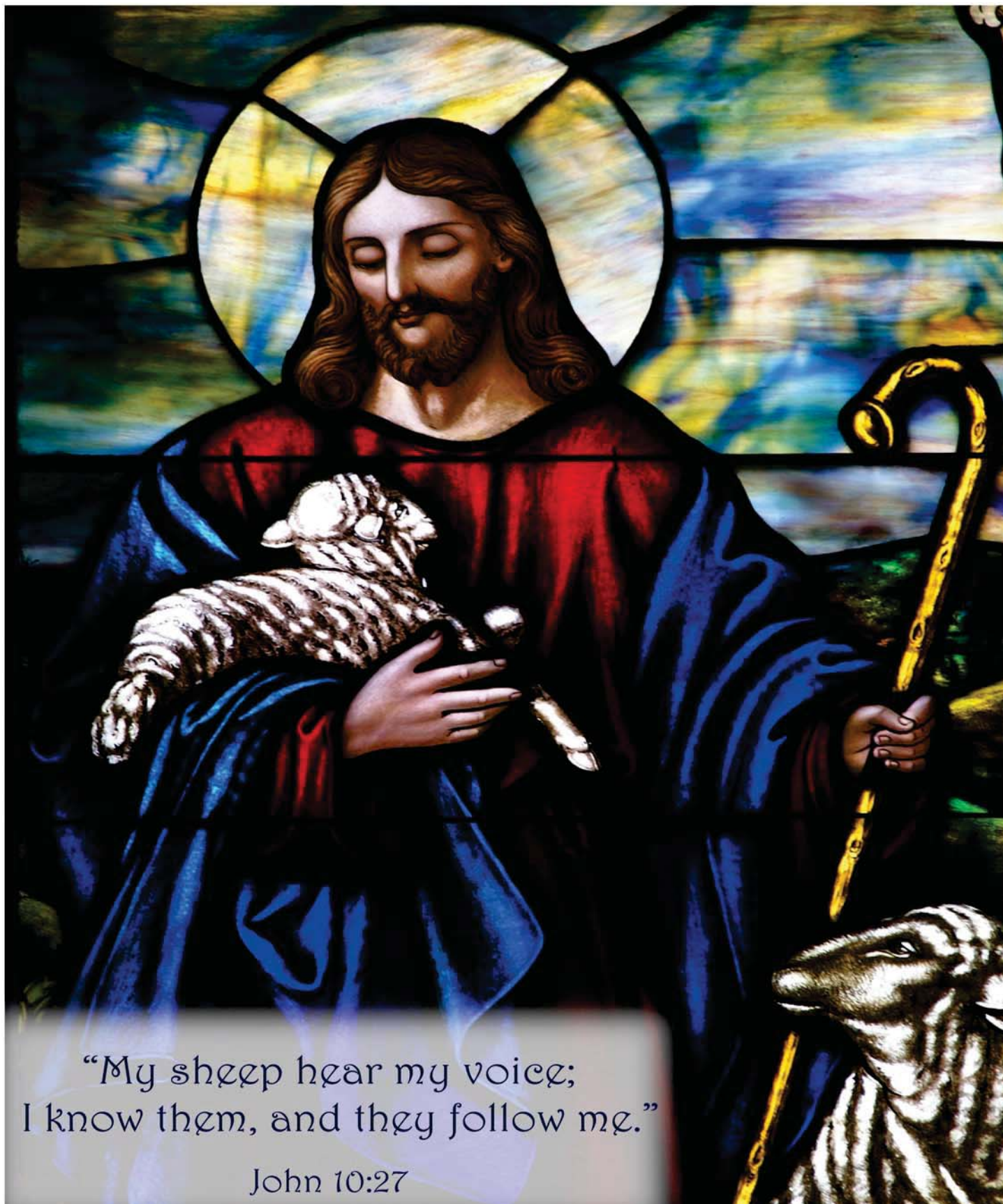


# METHUEN CATHOLIC

THE PARISHES OF ST. MONICA AND ST. LUCY

MAY 11  
2025



“My sheep hear my voice;  
I know them, and they follow me.”

John 10:27

ST. LUCY CHURCH | 254 MERRIMACK ST.

ST. MONICA CHURCH | 212 LAWRENCE ST.

## Mother's Day Reflection: A Living Image of God's Love

As we celebrate Mother's Day, we honor the women who have given us life, nurtured our faith, and shown us the tender, steadfast love of God. In every embrace, in every whispered prayer, and in every sacrifice made for their children, mothers reflect the divine love of our Creator.

From the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of Jesus and our spiritual mother, we learn that true motherhood is rooted in trust, humility, and surrender to God's will. Mary's "yes" to God brought salvation into the world. Her example calls every mother to embrace her vocation with courage, grace, and faith.

Today we remember all mothers—those living and those who have gone to the Lord. We pray for strength for young mothers, for peace for struggling mothers, for comfort for grieving mothers, and for joy for grandmothers who continue to nurture faith across generations.

Let us also acknowledge the spiritual mothers in our lives—religious sisters, godmothers, and mentors—who guide us in love and faith without bearing children of their own. Their witness is a powerful reminder that motherhood is not only biological but spiritual and sacrificial.

As a parish family, let us give thanks to God for the gift of mothers. May we cherish them, pray for them, and support them. And may the intercession of Mary, our Mother, bring blessings to all women who give life and love to others, in big ways and small.

"Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her." — Proverbs 31:28

*Happy Mothers Day*





**HELP US SPREAD THE WORD!**

Beginning **June 1st**, we will celebrate Spanish masses at St. Monica Church

**Sundays at 5:00pm**

**Fridays at 6:00pm**

Following the Friday evening Mass, there will be Adoration and Confessions in Spanish.

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

**¡AYÚDANOS A CORRER LA VOZ!**

A partir del 1 de junio, celebraremos misas en Español en la parroquia St. Monica:

**Domingos a las 5:00pm**

**Viernes a las 6:00pm**

Después de la Misa del viernes por la tarde, habrá adoración y confesiones en español.

**¡TODOS SON BIENVENIDOS!**



The Knights of Columbus will be leading the monthly Rosary for St. Monica School parents in the Chapel this Wednesdays, May 14.

All parents of students are welcome to attend.

Just stop in before picking up children from school. The Rosary will begin at 1:15pm. Rosaries & prayer cards will be provided.

**HOSPITALITY/REFRESHMENTS**

Please join us for refreshments

**Sunday, May 18th**

St. Lucy Lower Church Hall following the 10:30am Mass

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

**WEEKDAY ROSARY IN MAY**

Join us at St. Lucy's for the Rosary at 8:30am every weekday during the month of May, in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Rosary will be prayed before the morning Mass. All are welcome!

The Knights of Columbus will be handing out carnations to all our mothers for Mother's Day at all Masses this weekend at both St. Monica & St. Lucy

On behalf of St Monica St. Vincent de Paul Conference members I am pleased to provide this update to the generous donors and supporters of our work in the parish.

**Our Mission**

Inspired by the gospel values, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, a Catholic lay organization, leads volunteers to join together, to grow spiritually by offering person to person service to those who are needy and suffering, in the tradition of its founder, Blessed Frederic Ozanam, and patron, St Vincent de Paul. Upon receiving a request for assistance, our Vincentian volunteers go in pairs to visit individuals and families in their homes. These home visits are the primary way in which we provide personal, financial and spiritual support to our neighbors. We generally receive 35 to 40 requests each month.

The SVdP fiscal year is October 1, 2024 to September 30, 2025, we are half way through fiscal 2025. Fiscal Year to date we have received 226 requests. We have made over 200 home visits. We have provided food assistance in the form of groceries from our food pantry and gift cards, gasoline gift cards, rental assistance, assistance with heating oil and utility bills, assistance with prescription costs as well as supporting neighbors with specific individual needs.

Again, through your generosity, we were able to provide "Special Program" assistance to about 50 families at both Thanksgiving and Christmas! These programs provided "Thanksgiving" dinner groceries and Christmas food and Christmas gifts for children of needy families.

Please know that your prayers, food donations and financial support enable this outreach to neighbors in need in our parish. We remain inspired by a key aspect of St Vincent's spirituality – "to share the compassionate and liberating love of Christ the Evangelizer and Servant of the poor."

If you are interested in learning more or helping out, please contact us at 978-686-9573. Thank you!

Respectfully,

Mary Jo Farelli

President St Monica SVdP



## ST. LUCY EASTER FLOWERS

Richard Bazarian	Barbara & Alfred	Gerard Taschereau	Raymond J Richard	Irene
Geno & Ann Pelosi	Caron, Jr	Bertrand LeBlanc	Richard Family	Rosalia
John Calobrisi	Mrs Concetta D Bella	James Tiberio	Broadhurst Family	Gliceria
Joseph & Ida Routhier	Mr Alfred Bella	Lisa Maclean Tiberio	In Honor of The Crew	Balbina
Paul & Gerard Routhier	Family of Vivien Battye	McCall Family	Robert Coleman	Potenciana
Tony Menendez Aponte	Maria Trinh T Lau	Trovato Family	Anna Coleman	M/M Rodrigues
Louis Polizotti	Joseph Hoang Van Han	DiGloria Family	Ann Coleman	M/M DaSilva
John McDermott	Pray for Grandparents	Sandra Bouchard	Donald Coleman	M/M Santos
Clare & James	Hoang & Trinh	Richard & Germaine	Chandra Coleman	Estrela Couto
McDermott	Elizabeth Berube	Letourneau	Gaetano Milia	Tony Curto
Kimberly McDermott	Joanne Andrew	Gaston & Germaine	Blanche Milia	Mrs Concetta Bella
Thelma & James	Ray & Yvonne Viger	Ouellette	Elaina Nye	Mr Alfred Bella
McDermott	The Badolato Family	Emile & Claire Bouchard	Linda Hale	The Lynch Family
Josephine & Joseph Skop	The Pasquerella Family	James Tiberio	Michael Kenny, Jr	The Courcy Family
Alfreda Skop	Oscar Lemieux	Lisa MacLean	Ann Kenny	Jose Peralta
Manny Gianni	Donat Mailloux	Mom & Dad Charles	Robert Mullin, Jr	Diane Farelli
Christine Gianni Eldridge	Rita Lalime	Victor & Lena Andreoli	Arturo Torres	Eileen Lannon
Parolisi & Gianni Families	M/M Sam Alaimo	Douglas Hamel	Benita Torres	Louise Farelli
Cortese & Rizzo Families	Lucille Guimond	William Beck	Olinda Longo & Family	Elsie Ford
The Hickey Family	M/M Sebastino Consoli	Koralishn Family	John Chmielecki	Paul Meli, Sr
Ralph Belmonte	Lasonde & Cote Families	Taormina Family	Edward Gustowski &	Esabella Dadducci
Pilat Family	Wholley Family	William Burns	Family	Vencenzo Dadducci
McDermott Family	Eileen & Ted Baranowski	Mauro Danella	Stanley Jrosz & Family	Jenny & Vincenzo Meli
Chase Family	Alfio Greco & Family	Angelina Danella	Joseph & Stella Sullivan	Anthony Meli
Hannagan Family	Vito & Giuseppina	Angelo Danella	Vito & Jennie Milone	Francis Wholley
Real Taschereau	Cunsolo	Joseph Danella	Andrew & Isabel	William Ward
Gail Taschereau	Giuseppe Sangiorgio	Santa Shea	Mulvaney	Luciano/Bryant Families
Gerard Taschereau	Joseph S Augeri	Barbara Sheehan	Albert & Kathleen Fritchey	Perry, Clara, Steven &
Bertrand LeBlanc	Joseph & Mary Augeri	Gertrude & Joseph	Koralishn Family	Beverly Autiello
Maria Arasi	Alexander & Rose D'Urso	Reardon	Taormins Family	Janet Szostak
Albina & Filippo Bonvino	John & Louise Salmi	Margaret & William	Ryan Thistle	Rivas & Hebert Families
Aurora Berthiume	Domenic & Margaret	Kallery	James & Veronica Fyrer	Cortese & Rizzo Families
Lois & Dick Belanger	Nicolosi	Phyllis & Joseph	M/M William F	Karpowicz Family
Deceased Members of the	M/M Anthony Galluccio	Reardon, Jr	Cantillon, Sr	Salvatore & Ida DeLucca
Covey Family	M/M Giacomo Galluccio	Maureen & James	Pedro Gomez	Thomas, Evelyn & Paula
Deceased Members of the	Coco Family	Reynolds	Isaac Arroyo	Dolan
Petralia Family	Grelle Family	Mary Reardon	Miguel Gomez	Joseph A Sciacca Sr
Deceased Members of the	Cafiso Family	Elsie & Frank Reardon	Sheila Mc Gravey	Josephine Sylvia
McEvery Family	Maggio Family	M/M Foote	Jim Hajjar	Anthony Sylvia
Fr. Angelo Loscocco	Philip Maggio	M/M Hoh	Carmine & Jenny Parolisi	Theresa Windley
Sr. Rina Brunetti	Richard Rogers	Nicholas Vellardita	Pete & Adeline DiBurro	Howard Windley
Santa & Sabatino	Cecile Audet	Mildred Vellardita	Deceased Members of the	Albert & Nora Wnek
D'Agostino	Real Taschereau	Bartolo Cascio	Hajjar Family	
	Gail Taschereau	Giuseppina Cascio	Comei-Martin Family	

## ST. MONICA EASTER FLOWERS

George, Christine	Diane L Farelli	Carly Casten	Sondra & John Jimerson	Daniel Curran III
& Richard Ferguson	Francis T Roberge	Pelosi Family	Liz Clement	Our Departed Loved
Vincenzo & Ida Lazzara	Arthur, Billy, Phyllis &	Stevenin Family	Patricia M Hennessy	Ones
Sebastiano & Anna	Bill Hutton	Szablowski Family	Benjamin Amiss	Rose & Salvatore Filetti
DiGiacomo	Winnie & Fran Endyke	Zalewski Family	Ralph & Cecile Paquin	Emilda & Arthur Gagne
The John C. Spurk Family	Greg Krikorian	Logan & Hanes Family	Mary & Gilbert Hodge	Dewolfe & Aucoin Family
Kirk Walsh	Steve Marques	DiZazzo Family	Jenifer Neel	& Friends
Paulette & James DeLeo	Cathy Lahey	Lewandowski Family	Rose Dupuis	Donald Michalski
Mary & John Walsh	Chris Trunfio	Santo & Theresa	Ann (Barrett) Burke	Adam & Anne Michalski
Margaret & Peter Dugan	Deb Moury	Cavallaro	David A Burke	James & Maxine Moore
Fred & Rita Larnard	Lee Ann Condon	Lawrence Moskal	Iracema Leal	Everyone I'm Praying for
Souls in Purgatory	Herve & Ethel Sirois	AnnCarol Saviano	Manuel Leal	Bauge Fleurantin

Mme Bauge Fleurantin	Darie Ecalina	Devin Melia	Lillian Macaulay	Afam Ofedu
Valia Fleurantin	Visitacion & Honorato	Dotti Berryman	Joseph Indoccio	Monica Ofedu
Dumennis Toussaint	Palapas	Bill James	Alice Indoccio	Chinwe Ofedu
Dumas Toussaint	Noreen Amiss	William & Margaret	Arthur Royer	Robert Ofedu
Ralph & Cecile Paquin	Mary Martin	Collins	Gloria Royer	Kris Ofedu
Ronald A Bergeron	Jack & Anne Bowler	Robert & Mary Morley	Anthony & Ida Makovitch	Nate Ofedu
Claire, Amy, Kevin	Cat & Mike Bowler	The Morley Family	Mike Basile, Jr	Dennis Corneau
Waterworth	Anna & Richard Lavery	Joseph Collins & Winifred	Steve Rizzo	Marie Keating
Leo, Gerard, Richard	Gene & Mamie Carelli	Mulcrone	Rose & Joe Bonanno	St Louis Family
Hamel	Ray & Nora Barry	Julie & Harold Marlen	Thomas & Fran Bonanno	Donald Corneau
Thomas & Catherine	Leo McCormick	Deceased Members of the	Charles & Helen Dobeck	Doris Thibodeau
Waterworth	Maurice J Lariviere, Sr	Stanavitch Family	Leo Croteau	Richard Curtis
Thomas & Patricia	Helen T Lariviere	Richard, Anthony, Pete,	Lucille Arsenault	Theresa Curtis
Waterworth	Benjamin LaTorre III	James Gerst	Croteau Family	M/M Gus Sullivan
Philip & Jeanette Hamel	Maurice J Lariviere, Jr	Paula Casey Beaulieu	Arsenault family	M/M William Lugli, Sr
Benigno & Jovita	Susan Rayno	Phil Beaulieu	Walter & Dorothy	M/M Gerard Ford
Cunanan	Edward & Bernadette	Meredith Johnston	Miranowicz	Aime Halde
Florentina Catipon	Beaudry	Mary Belanger	Walter Miranowicz, Jr	Paul Dionne
Salvina Rizzo	Frederick & Irene Vesey	Lindy Surawski	Joseph Miranowicz	Wlodyka & Adam Family
Mayette Castorico	George & Joan Mansour	Richy Gallagher	Tom Baker	Genest Family
Walter & Theresa Witkos	Dennis Corneau	Woody Trussell	Jack Baker	Halde Family
Henry & Patricia Wright	M/M James Hesketh	Ed Trussell	Connie & Albert Zampelli	William Burdin
Albert & Stella Gauthier	Mr John Keating, Sr	Kitty & Peter Reynolds	Gloria & Arthur Royer	Eleanor Burdin
Stanley & Mary Nijadlick	M/M Leo Corneau	Arthur & Blanche	Alice & Joseph Indoccio	Richard Burdin
John & Anna Bolton	M/M Arthue StLouis	Bonneau	Mary & Andre Serpa	Helen Otis
Veronique Esperance	Mr Kristie Marquis	Alfred & Evelyn	Patsy Jennings	Lori Bertrand
Yvon Benjamin	Amaral Family	Fitzpatrick	Ronald Gagnon	Almas Pergatorio
Vincent & Lucy Fiorilla	Lima Family	Deceased Members of the	Catherine Contarino	Fleming Family
Samuel V Fiorilla	Louiosa Azevedo	Guy Family	Emanuele Contarino	Lacerte & St Pierre
Richard Ferland	Our Loved Ones That	Deceased Members of the	Pellegrino Family	Families
O'Donnell Family	Have Passed	Crowley Family	Joseph & Lillian Rapazzo	Lucas & Malvina
Proctor Family	Paul, Ruthie, Bill,	All Souls in Purgatory	Joseph Rapazzo, Jr	Galarneau
Charles Corsaro	Aime, Chuck	Lillian M Jackson	James & Rita Chiara	Wilfred & Bertha Valliere
Alexander & Winifred	Michaud Family: Chanel,	Thomas H Jackson	Thomas F Markham	Hugette Perrault
Groves	Claire, Carol, Paul, Diane,	Virginia Jabour	Stanislaw & Anastazja	Mary Jean Grandmaison
Kenneth Groves	Judy, Melissa	Michael Jabour	Arabudzki	Mauree Cobbett
Vera Tolapka	Rogonese Family: Angelo,	Alan Tisbert	Benedykt Arabudzki	Ron Remillet
Michael & Stella	Antonia, Frank, Nunziata,	M/M Alexander Vелlette	Robert Putnam	Raymond Family
Polomoscanik	Francesco, Santina	M/M Sam Vелlette	Vincent Jablonski	Robert Santiano
Maria & Fred Laird	DiBartolo Family: Rocco,	M/M Carmen Scaletti	Mariana Zielinski	Jean Santiano
Cheryl & Billy Laird	Emanuela, Angelo,	The Harrington Family	Genowefa Doda	Brandie Queen
Josphine Foulern	Carmela, Orazio	The Boyajian Family	Joseph O'Neil	M/M Charles Firth
Jenny Roderick	Asselin/Talbot Families	Julie Ahles	Gail, Carol & Lillian	M/M James Bradley, Jr
Robert J Higgins	John & Pat Lahan	Beaudoin & Muhilly	Robert & Ed Roche	John & Alice Langley
Esther & Robert Higgins	Vin & Thelma Knightly	Family	Donna Haskell	Eva & Myrna Anolin
Germaine & Roland	Michael Lahan	Richard E Gerst	John Daniels	Wrenn & Cash Families
Soucy	Vergi Lahan	Celia Barletta	Donna Solozzi	John P Bresnahan, Sr
Rev. Andre Houle OMI	John D Jalbert, Jr	Geraldine Nugent	Ida Paganissi	Venera Cutuli
Paul Lambert	Jalbert Family	All Deceased Members of	Tony & Ann Timperio	Angelo Cutuli
John & Evelyn Pagliuso	Lembard Family	Kathy & Jeff Rocheleau's	Joseph & Anne Camell	Agata Gangemi
John, Bob, Sandra	Brown Family	Family	Joseph Larracy	Maria Finocchiaro
Pagliuso	Tracy Venuti Family	Ida & Andrew Piazza	James Carpenter	Orazio Finocchiaro
Sophie & Emil Jajuga	John & Frances Houlihan	Roger Lucey	Millie Sampson	Walter W Topham
Sandi Pedrick	Addison M Lewis	Theresa & William Magro	Anna Corsi	James & Genevieve Kelley
Thomas & Dorothy	Mary O Houlihan	Jaclyn Reda	Thomas Pappalardo	Raymond J McAlea
Bresnahan	Thomas J Griffin, Jr	Shad Smith	Lucia Reitano	Mary R McAlea
Melvin & Laura Correia	Stephen Bellingreri	Frank Wholley	Antonio Reitano	Luigi & Assunta
Dan & Louise Quinn	Dorothy Bellingreri	Harry, Ruth, James &	Janessa Ciofolo	DeNuccio
Demetrio Faunillan	Ann Humlak	Marilee Ralph	Millie DaGraca	Noel & Amalia Langlois
Suga Roy Faunillan	Nick Humlak	Dorothy Bosse	Joe DaGraca Peggy	Lillian Coco
Susana & Anastacio	Kava Tucker	Bob Carney	DiVincentis	
Faunillan	Dick McCarron	Harry & Clare Ralph	Marcoux Family	



APRIL 26 & 27

**St. Monica - \$7,948.00      St. Lucy - \$4,269.00**

Weekly Offertory needed to sustain parish operations: St. Monica - \$10,000 | St. Lucy - \$6,000  
*Thank you for your continued generous contribution to the mission of our parishes.*



**Yes, I CAN...** We are in need of Mashed Potatoes, Cereal, Rice, Canned Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Soups, Boxed Spaghetti, Peanut Butter & Jelly. Donations can be dropped off anytime at the entrances to St. Lucy Church and the side door of Gethsemane Chapel at St. Monica Church.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**

Mondays @ 10 am. Please email all bulletin notices to parishoffice.stlm@gmail.com.

**GETHSEMANE CHAPEL AT ST. MONICA CHURCH**  
 Open 7 days per week from 6am-7pm

**CHAPEL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION  
 ST. LUCY CANDLE SHRINE**  
 Open Mon-Sat from 9am-5pm

**BAPTISMS** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month, 2:00pm at St. Monica's | 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month, 2:00pm at St. Lucy's  
 Please call the Parish Offices at least 2 months in advance to schedule.

**MARRIAGES** Please call the Parish Offices at least six months prior to the proposed wedding date and before booking a reception hall.

**MASS SCHEDULE** SAT 4 pm (VIGIL) both parishes  
 SUN 9 am & 12 pm St. Monica  
 10:30 am St. Lucy  
 MON/TUES/THURS/FRI 9 am St. Lucy  
 SATURDAY 9 am St. Monica

**CONFESSIONS**  
 SAT 3-3:45pm at both parishes

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 Closed Wed**



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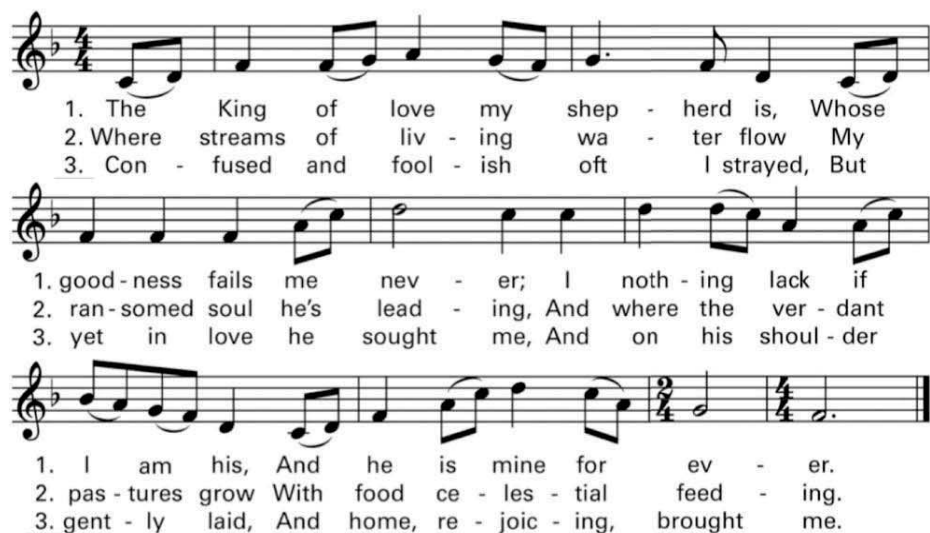


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**PROCESSIONAL HYMN***The King of Love My Shepherd Is*



1. The King of love my shep - herd is, Whose  
 2. Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow My  
 3. Con - fused and fool - ish oft I strayed, But

1. good - ness fails me nev - er; I noth - ing lack if  
 2. ran - somed soul he's lead - ing, And where the ver - dant  
 3. yet in love he sought me, And on his shoul - der

1. I am his, And he is mine for ev - er.  
 2. pas - tures grow With food ce - les - tial feed - ing.  
 3. gent - ly laid, And home, re - joic - ing, brought me.

**PENITENTIAL ACT - GLORIA***Refer to Pew Card***FIRST READING***Acts 13: 14, 43-52*

Paul and Barnabas continued on from Perga and reached Antioch in Pisidia. On the sabbath they entered the synagogue and took their seats. Many Jews and worshipers who were converts to Judaism followed Paul and Barnabas, who spoke to them and urged them to remain faithful to the grace of God. On the following sabbath almost the whole city gathered to hear the word of the Lord. When the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy and with violent abuse contradicted what Paul said. Both Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly and said, "It was necessary that the word of God be spoken to you first, but since you reject it and condemn yourselves as unworthy of eternal life, we now turn to the Gentiles. For so the Lord has commanded us, I have made you a light to the Gentiles, that you may be an instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth." The Gentiles were delighted when they heard this and glorified the word of the Lord. All who were destined for eternal life came to believe, and the word of the Lord continued to spread through the whole region. The Jews, however, incited the women of prominence who were worshipers and the leading men of the city, stirred up a persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and expelled them from their territory. So they shook the dust from their feet in protest against them, and went to Iconium. The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM***Ps 100 (99): 3c; V 1b-2, 3, 5*


**R. We are his peo - ple: the sheep of his flock.**

Sing joyfully to the LORD,  
 all you lands; serve the LORD with gladness;  
 come before him with joyful song.

Know that the LORD is God;  
 he made us, his we are;  
 his people, the flock he tends.

The LORD is good:  
 his kindness endures forever,  
 and his faithfulness, to all generations.

SECOND READING

Rev 7: 9, 14b-17

I, John, had a vision of a great multitude, which no one could count, from every nation, race, people, and tongue. They stood before the throne and before the Lamb, wearing white robes and holding palm branches in their hands. Then one of the elders said to me, "These are the ones who have survived the time of great distress; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb." For this reason they stand before God's throne / and worship him day and night in his temple. / The one who sits on the throne will shelter them. / They will not hunger or thirst anymore, / nor will the sun or any heat strike them. / For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne / will shepherd them / and lead them to springs of life-giving water, / and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

ALLELUIA

Jn 10: 14

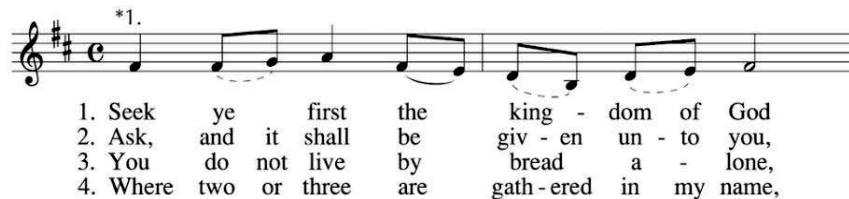


*✠. I am the good shepherd says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me.*

GOSPEL

Jn 21: 1-19

Jesus said: "My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish. No one can take them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one can take them out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

OFFERTORY HYMNSeek Ye FirstPRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



COMMUNION HYMNGift of Finest

## Verses



1. As when the shep - herd calls his sheep, They  
 2. With joy - ful lips we sing to you Our  
 3. Is not the cup we bless and share The



know and heed his voice; So when you call your  
 praise and grat - i - tude, That you should count us  
 blood of Christ out - poured? Do not one cup, one



fam - 'ly, Lord, We fol - low and re - joice.  
 wor - thy, Lord, To share this heav'n - ly food.  
 loaf, de - clare Our one - ness in the Lord?

RECESSIONAL HYMNAt The Lamb's High Feast

1. At the Lamb's high feast we sing  
 2. Where the Pas - chal Blood is poured,  
 3. East - er tri - umph, East - er joy,



1. Praise to our vic - to - rious King, Who hath washed us  
 2. Death's dark an - gel sheathes his sword; Is - rael's hosts tri -  
 3. Sin a - lone can this de - stroy; From sin's pow'r do



1. in the tide Flow - ing from his pier - cèd side;  
 2. um - phant go Through the wave that drowns the foe.  
 3. thou set free Souls new - born, O Lord, in thee.



1. Praise we him, whose love di - vine, Gives his sa - cred  
 2. Praise we Christ, whose Blood was shed, Pas - chal Vic - tim,  
 3. Hymns of glo - ry and of praise, Ris - en Lord, to



1. Blood for wine, Gives his Bod - y for the feast,  
 2. Pas - chal Bread; With sin - cer - i - ty and love  
 3. thee we raise; Ho - ly Fa - ther, praise to thee,



1. Christ the Vic - tim, Christ the Priest.  
 2. Eat we man - na from a - bove.  
 3. With the Spir - it, ev - er be.

ST. MONICA PARISH

**Saturday, May 10**

9:00am Michael Mansour  
 4:00pm Alice Indoccio  
 Connie Zampelli  
 Ruth Cady  
 Mary Serpa  
 Ida Makovitch  
 Gloria Royer

**Sunday, May 11**

9:00am For the Parishioners of  
 St. Lucy & St. Monica  
 12:00pm Rhonda & Jack Calligandes (living)  
 Mark Duncan (living)  
 Richard Duncan (living)  
 Valorie Duncan  
 Michael LaCroix (living)  
 Venancio De Pina

**Saturday, May 17**

9:00am Nathaniel Odefu (living)  
 4:00pm Albert, Russel & Roland Raza  
 Joan Raza  
 Kenneth Duncan  
 Dale Duncan

**Sunday, May 18**

9:00am Eulalia Aguiar  
 Pat Mundry  
 Mary Hamel  
 Robert J. Pellicione  
 12:00pm For the Parishioners of  
 St. Lucy & St. Monica

ST. LUCY PARISH

**Saturday, May 10**

4:00pm William G. Klier

**Sunday, May 11**

10:30am Deceased Members of the BVM Sodality  
 Charles Rimas  
 Carmela DiDonato  
 Michaelangelo Iuvara  
 Michael Kersey  
 Joseph Caruso

**Monday, May 12**

9:00am Claire Waterworth

**Tuesday, May 13**

9:00am Harold & Julie Morley

**Wednesday, May 14**

9:00am Fr. Michael Harvey (living)

**Thursday, May 15**

9:00am Sebastiano LaCarubba

**Friday, May 16**

9:00am Perry, Clara, Steven & Beverly Autiello

**Saturday, May 17**

4:00pm Carol Arkley

**Sunday, May 18**

10:30am Francis R. Covey, Jr.  
 Robert & Pauline Hamilton  
 Pedro Puentes  
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Thurs	05/15/25	Fr. Christopher Lowe	Deacon Thuy Nguyễn SJS Boston
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Sat	05/17/25	Class of 2025 Ordinandi	Boston Presbyteral Ordination



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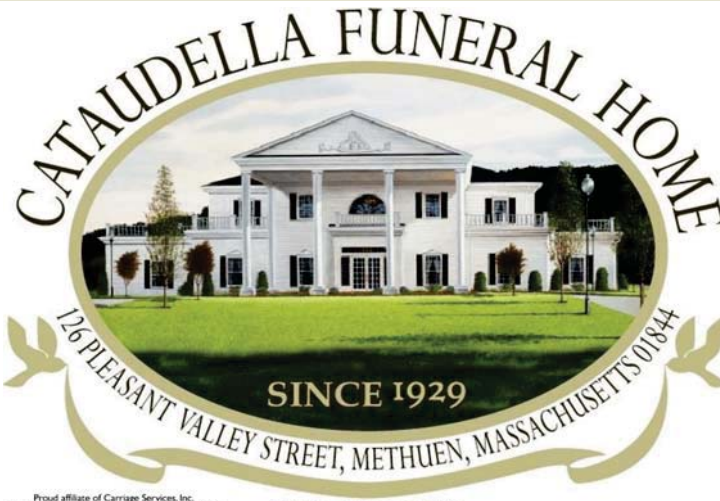
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